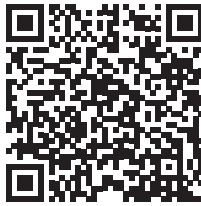




DISCOVER THE SADDLE HILLS ADVANTAGE

WORKING WELL WEBINAR - APR. 27

Saddle Hills County's Agricultural Services Department is hosting a FREE Working Well webinar on **April 27, 2023** from 6:30-9:30 p.m. This comprehensive workshop will cover the basics of groundwater and how your well works, as well as information on how to protect your well, test your well water, operating and maintaining your well, what to do with old, abandoned wells on your property, and much more. Technical expertise will be provided by professionals from Alberta Agriculture and Irrigation, Alberta Environment and Protected Areas, Alberta Health Services, and licensed well water contractors. Registration is required in advance. Those interested in participating should register online by scanning the QR code or visiting our website homepage where a link to the registration is available. Registration closes April 27 at 4:30 p.m.



2023 DO NOT SPRAY AGREEMENTS - NOW AVAILABLE

The tentative spray areas for 2023 are Fourth Creek and Blueberry. If you do not wish to have the roadside beside your property sprayed by the County you will need to complete a Do Not Spray Agreement. Do Not Spray Agreements are now available for 2023 either online or at the County Office. The deadline to submit agreements is **May 31, 2023** at 4:30 p.m.

FREE RURAL ADDRESS SIGNS FOR RESIDENTS

Did you know that as a landowner in Saddle Hills County you can request a FREE rural address sign for your residence? A rural address sign helps first responders locate your property in the event of an emergency, helping to minimize delays in response times and improve safety for all. To request a sign for your property please complete the Rural Address Sign Request form on our website or call our Development Coordinator at (780) 864-3760.

NOTICE OF ROAD BANS

With Spring temperatures due to arrive the County may implement Road Bans to protect the road surface from heavy vehicle damage. We also issue Road Ban Exemptions for companies and farmers that have Road Use Agreements and need to continue using certain roads. Currently there are no Road Bans in place, however this could change quickly dependent on weather conditions. Road Bans will be posted online and an updated list can be provided by the County office.

HIGHWAY CLEANUP

Saddle Hills County is looking for non-profits, schools, and/or community groups to participate in our 2023 Highway Cleanup Program. This is a great opportunity to show pride in our community and raise funds for your group. For more information contact Public Works at (780) 864-3760 or email publicworks@saddlehills.ab.ca



COUNTY CALENDAR: APRIL 2023

April 6, 1:00 p.m.	Subdivision & Development Appeal
April 11, 8:30 a.m.	Municipal Planning Commission
April 11, 9:00 a.m.	Regular Council Meeting
April 25, 8:30 a.m.	Municipal Planning Commission
April 25, 9:00 a.m.	Regular Council Meeting

WE'RE HIRING

For full job descriptions and to apply head to the County website.

TEMPORARY, SEASONAL

- **Agricultural Services Seasonal Labourer**

PERMANENT, FULL-TIME

- **Nurse Practitioner**

NOTICE OF DEVELOPMENT APPEAL HEARING

Appeal Decision

Development File Number: 01-DP-23

Legal Description: SW 20-79-08-W6

Proposed Development: Cabin, self-contained oilfield trailer, portable sawmill (home based business, major), and equipment storage

Date of Hearing: April 6, 2023

Time of Hearing: Hearing starts at 1:00 p.m.

Location of Hearing: Saddle Hills County Chambers
79177 Rge. Rd. 84 (Hwy. 49 & Hwy. 725)
(780) 864-3760

HOUSING NEEDS SURVEY - WE'D LIKE YOUR INPUT

We need your help! We are looking to gather the community's thoughts on the current housing needs in Saddle Hills County. A short survey is available online on our website, or by scanning the QR code. Copies have also been mailed out and will be made available at the County office and convenient locations throughout the County, along with drop-off boxes. The information collected will be compiled into a report and used to determine areas of need. Deadline for completion is **April 28, 2023**. If you have any questions or need help completing the survey please contact our Communications Department at (780) 864-3760 or communications@saddlehills.ab.ca



BONANZA TRANSFER STATION - SCHEDULED CLOSURE

Please note that Bonanza Transfer Station will be closed on Friday, April 7, 2023 for Good Friday. Normal hours will resume on Saturday, April 8.

EASTER SCHEDULED OFFICE CLOSURE

Please note that the Saddle Hills County Admin Building will be closed for Easter on Friday, April 7, 2023 and Monday, April 10, 2023. We will re-open on Tuesday, April 11, 2023 at 8:15 a.m.

EASTER BINGO AT COTILLION HALL - APR. 5

Join the community for Easter Bingo at the Cotillion Hall on Wednesday, April 5, 2023. Doors open at 7 p.m., bingo begins at 7:30 p.m. An initial lap card is \$2, with each additional card for \$0.50 each. Great prizes and snacks will be provided.

PEACE OFFICER CONTACT DETAILS

If you need to contact our Peace Officer with a Bylaw infraction or concern please use the dedicated complaints line: (780) 506-0109 **Please note if it is an emergency or criminal offence call 911 or contact the RCMP.**

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Junction of Highway 49 and Highway 725, RR 1, Spirit River, Alberta, Canada, T0H 3G0

Phone: (780) 864-3760 | Fax: (780) 864-3904 | Toll Free: 1 (888) 864-3760

Monday to Friday 8:15 AM to 4:30 PM



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